

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF WESTERN )  
KENTUCKY GAS COMPANY, A DIVISION )  
OF ATMOS ENERGY CORPORATION, )  
FOR APPROVAL OF THIRD PARTY GAS ) CASE NO. 2002-00245  
SUPPLY AGREEMENT AND FOR A )  
DEVIATION FROM THE PRICING )  
REQUIREMENTS OF KRS 278.2207 )

O R D E R

On June 28, 2002, Western Kentucky Gas Company, Inc. ( Western ) filed its application for approval of its gas supply agreement with Woodward Marketing, LLC and requested a deviation from KRS 278.2207. Based on its initial review of Western s application, the Commission finds that additional inquiry into Western s contract with Woodward is necessary.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The procedural schedule set forth in Appendix A to this Order shall be followed in this proceeding.
2. Service of any document or pleading shall be made in accordance with Administrative Regulation 807 KAR 5:001, Section 3(7), and Kentucky Civil Rule 5.02.
3. All documents required to be filed with the Commission shall also be served upon all parties of record at or before the time of filing.
4. Motions for extensions of time with respect to the schedule herein shall be made in writing and will be granted only upon a showing of good cause.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 2002.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Deputy W<sup>m</sup> H. Fowler  
Executive Director

APPENDIX A

AN APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE  
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2002-00245 DATED August 2, 2002

Intervenors and Commission Staff may serve interrogatories and requests  
for production of documents upon Western no later than..... 08/09/2002

Western shall file responses to interrogatories and requests  
for production of documents no later than ..... 08/23/2002

Intervenors and Commission Staff may serve supplemental interrogatories  
and requests for production of documents upon Western no later than ..... 09/06/2002

Western shall file responses to supplemental interrogatories  
and requests for production of documents no later than ..... 09/20/2002

Intervenors comments, if any, shall be filed in  
verified prepared form no later than ..... 09/30/2002

Public Hearing, if necessary, for the purpose  
of cross-examination of witnesses ..... To be scheduled